GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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HOUSES FOR PLANTATION LABOURERS
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Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to construct homes for plantation labourers considering that such labour is heavily concentrated in Kerala;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI VIJAY GOEL)

(a) & (b): According to Plantations Labour Act, 1951, all welfare facilities, including housing accommodation are to be provided by the employer to the plantation worker.

(c): Do not arise in view of answer to (a) & (b) above.